encounter much toil to effectuate these objects? It is believed there are but few — There may be laggards through inadvertence, or from want of Confidence in the practicability of a specific object, but it is believed there are but very few who would slight & voluntarily cast away the rich bounties of providence that are spread before them. — It is for the people of the No. Caro. but to will it, and they may reach forth their hands and pluck plenty & abundance — It is for the people to excuse themselves from culpable apathy or indifference, to acquire the information within7

[Addressed:] Honble Willie P Mangum Senator in Congress Washington City

[Postmark:] Fayetteville Dec [?]

Henry Clay to Willie P. Mangum⁸

at

Mrs Dunn's [1834-1835]⁹

Dear Sir

It will not be necessary for you to attend the Committee of Foreign Relations this morning, as there will be no meeting of it. I will see you on the subject at the Senate.

> Yr's faithf v H CLAY Wednesday morning

> > WPM-LC

Robert C. Wetmore¹⁰ to Willie P. Mangum.

New York Oct. 31. [1840]¹¹

Dr. Sir.

Will you allow me to send for your personal papers containing an account — a shadow — of the Whig Procession in

⁷The report is not complete.

⁸The original is in the possession of Mangum Turner, Winston-Salem, N. C.

⁹Probably this note was written in 1834 or 1835. Mangum and Clay were both members of the Committee on Foreign Relations in those years.

¹⁰He was naval agent for the port of New York under Harrison. Niles' Register, LX, 66. ¹¹This was probably 1840.